SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF NURSING

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IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSURE PROCEEDINGS

RE: VALERIE ARENS, RN

ORDER CLOSING PROBATION

License No. R041585

Licensee.

WHEREAS, Valerie Arens ("Licensee"), is licensed to practice as a registered nurse in the State of South Dakota and holds license number R041585;

WHEREAS, Licensee signed a Stipulation and Order for Probation with HPAP on April 28, 2015, which the Board incorporated into an Order on May 28, 2015; and

WHEREAS, the terms of Licensee's probation have expired and Licensee has submitted proof to the Board of her compliance with the terms of her probation Order, which the Board considered at its meeting on February 13, 2020.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

- 1. The Board has jurisdiction over the person of the Licensee and the subject matter of this Order.
- 2. The Licensee's former probation is hereby officially closed, pursuant to Board order entered on February 13, 2020, by a vote of 9-0.
 - 3. Licensee shall hereafter have an unencumbered License.

Dated this 24th day of February, 2020.

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Gloria Damgaard, RN, MS
Executive Director SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF NURSING